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Dear Mr. Brown:

With reference to your fax of February 2, 1994, your view of the coverage of "persons disabled by environmental sensitivities" on CBC Radio and Television is such a broad statement that I'm simply not able to comment on it.

I can say that the recent Nature of Things program, Allergies: Nothing to Sneeze At, telecast on February 2, 1994, did not refer to people who have allergies and chemical sensitivities as being crazy. The program summarized some of the most recent scientific findings on allergies, asthma, chemical sensitivities and sick building syndrome, and showed the pain and anguish of people who suffer from these ailments.

We feel that our program dealt with the topic in a serious and sensitive way.

Thanks for taking the time to write to us about your concerns.

Yours sincerely,

James Murray
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